

INSTRUCTIONExtracurricular Activities: Generally

School sponsored extracurricular activities shall be approved by the superintendent and the Stafford County School Board in accordance with the requirements of the State Department of Education and shall be reviewed periodically. These activities shall be under the direct supervision of the principal and the staff members assigned to the activity. They shall be made available to students on a voluntary basis and shall contribute to the educational objectives of the school. These activities should be organized so that interruptions of the instructional program are avoided and should not be permitted to interfere with the individuals' required instructional activities. Any exception to this policy must be approved by the superintendent.

Editor's Note

See also division regulation #R6-33.

Legal Reference: Through June 30, 1999

Regulations of the Virginia Board of Education, "Standards for Accrediting Public Schools in Virginia". 8VAC 20-131-200. A. "School sponsored extracurricular activities shall be under the direct supervision of the staff and shall contribute to the educational objectives of the school. Extracurricular activities must be organized to avoid interrupting the instructional program. Extracurricular activities and eligibility requirements shall be established and approved by the superintendent and the school board. (Adopted September 4, 1997, effective October 31, 1997.)

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 ("Title IX") (20 U.S.C. 1681-1688).

Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 ("Section 504") (29 U.S.C. 706, 794).

Education for All Handicapped Children Act ("EAHCA") (20 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.); reenacted as Individuals with Disabilities Education Act ("IDEA").

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